# DoD Office of Small Business Programs USD (A&S)



**Cyber Security Project Spectrum Initiative** 



### **Project Spectrum Initiative**



- Under the authority of NDAA 2019 Sec. 1644: Assistance for small manufacturers in the defense industrial supply chain and universities.
  - (a) DISSEMINATION OF CYBERSECURITY RESOURCES.
  - (b) VOLUNTARY CYBERSECURITY SELF-ASSESSMENTS.
  - (c) TRANSFER OF RESEARCH FINDINGS AND EXPERTISE.
  - (d) DEFENSE ACQUISITION WORKFORCE CYBER TRAINING PROGRAM.
  - (e) ESTABLISHMENT OF CYBERSECURITY FOR DIB MANUFACTURING.
  - (f) AUTHORITY.--In carrying out this section, the Secretary may use the following authorities: (1) The Manufacturing Technology Program established under section 2521 of title 10, United States Code. (2) .... (3) ...(4) The Small Business Innovation Research program. (5) The mentor-protege program. (6) Other legal authorities as the Secretary determines necessary to effectively and efficiently carry out this section.
- Compliance with existing regulations, DFARS clauses (252.204-7008, 252.204-7012) which requires compliance with NIST SP 800-171, safeguarding of defense-relevant information, and cyber incident reporting.
- Awareness of evolving rules and standards such as the proposed CMMC.



## **Project Spectrum**



- Project Spectrum events and programs will enhance awareness of cybersecurity threats within the manufacturing, research and development, as well as knowledge-based services sectors of the industrial base.
- Project Spectrum will leverage strategic partnerships within and outside of the DoD to accelerate the overall cybersecurity compliance of the DIB.
- www.Projectspectrum.io is a web portal that will provide resources such as individualized dashboards, a marketplace, and Pilot Program to help accelerate cybersecurity compliance.







Outreach



**Awareness** 

Readiness Check







Continuous Monitoring



Discussion Forum



Tool Prototyping

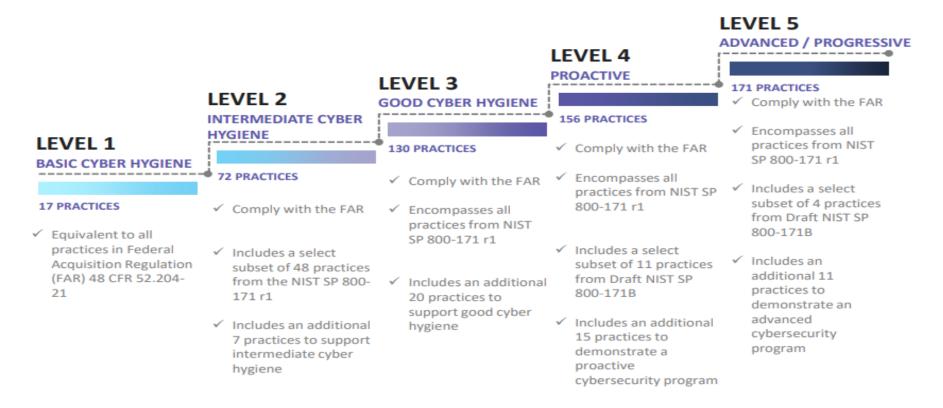






## Cyber Security Maturity Model (CMMC) & NIST 800-171





- "What's the difference between NIST 800-171 & CMMC?"
- NIST 800-171 compliance practices are all factored into CMMC with industry wide additions at higher levels.
- NIST 800-171 is <u>not</u> going away! It is merely being factored into CMMC



## **Project Spectrum Big Picture**

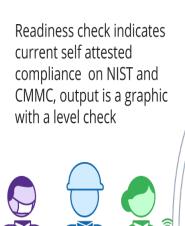


#### **BASELINE:**

Outreach to other DoD Programs that support small business

Outreach to small business via PTACS

Outreach to small business via Industry Assoc.





#### Dashboard by Company



**Training Resources** 



**PS Pilot Program** 



Marketplace, etools, other means to stay compliant





Coaching and access to tools we offer at reduced cost

Results in measurable increased compliance



## **Project Spectrum Partnerships**



- Collaborate across industry associations, the Manufacturing Innovation Institutes, and the Mentor-Protégé Program
- Engage partners and infrastructure that already exists and to rapidly stand-up a national capability focused on cybersecurity





























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## Mentor Protégé Program Industry Partnerships





Raytheon





BAE SYSTEMS











GENERAL DYNAMICS
Information Technology

Booz | Allen | Hamilton



## Cybersecurity Pilot Program Objectives



- Enroll MPP and other select companies
  - Manufacturing, Research and Development, and Knowledge-based services sectors
  - Possess the necessary resources to respond to vulnerabilities identified during the pilot
- Increase MPP participants compliance and cyber incident reporting
- Foster measurable increases in security awareness
- Provide exclusive training, tools, and advisory services to existing and new MPP participants
- Initial cohort of at least 25 companies targeted for enrollment approx.
   every 120 days
  - Must agree to 24 month collaboration and information exchange with DoD



#### PROJECT **SPECTR(U) M**

#### FOR MANUFACTURERS



 Manufacturers often use legacy equipment which presents challenges that are harder to patch vulnerabilities and protect from attack.

#### Unique issues manufacturers face

- Also manufacturers use OT and IOT plant equipment which requires sensors being placed on the network to gather vulnerability data.
- Often multiple geographic locations.
- Do not have on site IT support staff.

#### **Benefits to manufacturers**

- Cost conscious tools to assess gap vulnerabilities and link to patches
- Vetted Marketplace to find solutions
- Company dashboard to track compliance journey
- Most recent information on cyber issues
- Reduce cost of compliance NIST/MEP







Sensors on the network to assess vulnerabilities/Compliance

Management Coach

### PROJECT **SPECTRUM**

#### FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT



## Who they are: Innovator/Scientist/Researcher/ Startup

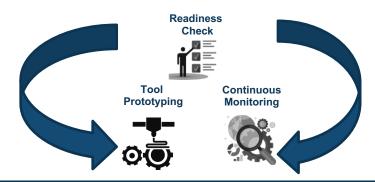
- Individual contributors/entrepreneurs
- No company infrastructure
- Limited funding
- Funding largely focused on technology
- Often wholly unaware of DoD acquisition requirements
- Often non-traditional business

## Labs & Corporate Spinouts/ Venture-backed & Mature small businesses

- Often commercial business-oriented
- Cybersecurity posture driven primarily by minimal requirements
- May have limited resources allocated to IP and data protection
- Rich targets for acquisition

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### PROJECT SPECTRUM





## **Unique to Advisory and Assistance Services (A&AS):**

- Support R&D and Manufacturing sectors
- Number of employees can be as few as one
- Remote environments
- Cloud data
- Varied software platforms
- Need to collaborate into an existing business workflow

*	Marketplace of platforms for secure collaboration	
NEWS	Create cybersecurity awareness	
	Community of many for those who are few	





## Cybersecurity Pilot Program Outcome



- Pilot companies show measurable increase in security awareness.
- Pilot companies show increase in NIST SP 800-171 compliance.
- Pilot companies demonstrate readiness for CMMC accreditation.
- Best practices shared among DoD small business community.
- Continuous engagement with DoD small businesses for valued services.



## Cyber Security Project Spectrum Initiative Outcome







10,000

Individuals trained with Live and Web-Based Training

#### **INSTILL BEST PRACTICES**



100

MPP participants engaged with individualized solutions

#### **CREATE COMMUNITY**



100,000

Active users of web portal

#### **DEVELOP SOLUTIONS**



**500** 

DIB firms using prototype tools



### Summary



- OSBP is working closely with the CMMC Accrediting Body to prioritize NDAA Sec. 1644(f) program participants.
- OSBP is providing preparedness training for future CMMC compliance and a pilot program that seeks to prepare those companies for CMMC certification.
- Project Spectrum will include a vetted, competitive marketplace to assist small businesses with finding local solutions.
- OSBP is approaching this effort understanding cybersecurity is a business calculus for many companies in the defense supply chain.
- OSBP will help companies understand how strong cybersecurity helps protect data and mitigate business risks associated with unsecured networks.



### **Upcoming Outreach Events**



Date	Partner	Event Description	Delivery Type
5/5/2020	PTAC Connecticut	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/6/2020	Cyber Circuits	Defense Contracting DIBCAB	Webinar
5/7/2020	PTAC Ohio	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/11/2020	PTAC Kansas (Internal Team)	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/13/2020	PTAC Rhode Island	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/14/2020	PTAC Kansas Public	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/18/2020	PTAC Maryland	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/20/2020	Cyber Circuits	Industry Associations	Webinar
5/20/2020	PTAC Virginia	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/22/2020	PTAC Wyoming	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/27/2020	PTAC Montana	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
5/29/2020	PTAC NW Michigan	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
6/1/2020	CMMC Level 1 Campaign	CMMC Level 1 Domains	ProjectSpectrum.IO
6/3/2020	Cyber Circuits	SBA and Cybersecurity	Webinar
6/5/2020	PTAC Nevada	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
6/9/2020	PTAC Nevada	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
6/17/2020	Cyber Circuits	Silicon Valley and Cybersecurity	Webinar
6/19/2020	PTAC Nevada	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
6/23/2020	PTAC Nevada	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar
6/26/2020	PTAC Nevada	CMMC Level 1 Preparedness	Webinar